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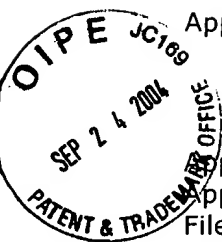
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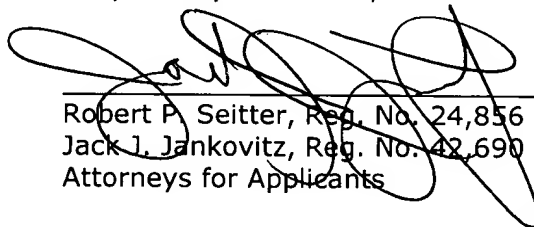
A telephonic interview was conducted between the undersigned and the Examiner on September 1, 2004.

Claims discussed were independent claims 1, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10.

The undersigned proposed adding the limitation of a multi band sensor to the independent claims to overcome the prior art rejection.

Applicants have now filed the response to the Outstanding Office Action on September 3, 2004.

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